

The Out-of-Office Responder

We all see the same dull out-of-office replies every holiday season. Why not help a colleague spice up their approach? Prompt them for words to fill in the blanks using this Mad Lib-style template and amuse yourselves with the results. (Bonus points for convincing them to actually use it!)

Fill in the blanks

I am _____ that I am unable to respond to your _____ email at this time.

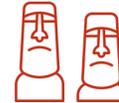
(emotion)

(adjective)

I am currently _____ in _____.

(verb with -ing)

(remote location)



I will be returning in _____.

(number)

(plural unit of time)

During this time I will have _____ access to email.

(adjective)



Once I return, I will do my _____ to _____

(adjective ending in -est)

(verb)

your _____ message.

(adjective)

_____ !

(salutation)



Example

I am flummoxed that I am unable to respond to your spooky email at this time.

I am currently hiking in Kuala Lumpur.



I will be returning in 182 fortnights.



During this time I will have squeaky access to email.

Once I return, I will do my strangest to whisk



your spicy message.

Aloha !

